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## PITTSBURGH.

The marriage of Mr. Albert Pittman and Miss Lena Lenz whose engagement was announced sometime ago took place September 30th, at Johnstown, Pa. Rev. F. C. Smielau tied the knot, which it is hoped will endure. In these days, especially in our beloved United States, too many women are up.

The Pittsburgh Silents are reorganizing their basketball team. What about a game with the All Souls' of Philadelphia, for the benefit of the new home at Torresdale? This is a question not to be ignored, as it is believed such a game would draw a large crowd at either this or that end of the state. Considering the attraction and the cause espoused, few could mind the admission price.

The Edgewood School being in need of help at odd jobs, especially in the laundry, which has secured the services of William McKnight, a former pupil.

Supt. and Mrs. A. C. Manning have adopted a five months old baby girl and named her Ruth.

The local P. S. A. D. gathering its second Saturday of the month was one of the smallest. But its biggest booster, Mr. Henry Bardes, managed to make something good come out of it. Donation day for the new Home had been announced for the day and Mr. Bardes gave the list of those who had already contributed. This met with a generous response from those present.

Mr. Bardes says he is not through with the collecting and is going to approach every deaf person, he thinks is a generous heart. We hope there are many. Mr. Holliday gave the information he found in the books in the Register of Wills office concerning three lots the late Mr. Frank R. Gray left to the Doylestown Home. The lots are in a good location, but slope down a little too much to make a good sale at present.

With the continued growth of the neighborhood it should bring a good price in the future. It is understood that Mr. Gray bought them for \$350 about twenty years ago. If it was worth that then, how much now? At least \$500. So says Mr. Fred Burke, who should know, as he owns the lot nearby. A sum not to be sneezed at.

Francis Dievart, of Monongahela, Pa., motored to this city October 10th, and got in with the crowd at the above meeting. He does not seem to scratch for his living, as his father owns a large hotel and he is the only child. He admitted, however, that he'd get more enjoyment out of life if he could find something worth while to keep him occupied. His tastes lie in the printing trade.

Mr. John Rolhouse for years supervisor at the Edgewood School has been compelled to resign because of failing health. In his place is Joseph Stevenson, a Mt. Airy boy equipped with a degree conferred upon him by Penn State College, in recognition of the four years course he took there. A rather lowly position for one of his mental attainments, but the best of us started at the bottom of the ladder. A few years should see a graduate from his present position into that of instructor. His drawback it seems is the sign language, with which he has not yet thoroughly familiarized himself. He lost his hearing at the age of 16.

The Pittsburgh silent football team has lost its first three games, but that they did well, considering the might and weight of the opposition. October 18th, Sharpsburg was played the game closing with the score 29 to 19. The last game was with the strong Roxas, of McKees Rocks, October 25th. Although out-weighted by twenty pounds to the man, the silents managed to hold them to the low score of 13 to 0. Dearth of material has left the silents back, but they are full of confidence and expect to win a game or two before the season is further advanced.

Archie Hartin is now employed by the American Tire Company, as a man in the repair department. He has seven men under his thumb. Palmer Scott, of Philadelphia, took advantage of an excursion rate with his old haunts, Sunday, October 25th. He is a product of

the Edgewood School, and has a good steady job with a tile company in "Quakertown."

Sunday, October 25th, Vincent Dunn figured in a trolley accident, in which two persons were injured, a score or more badly shaken up, and windows were shattered. Two one-man cars got beyond control and crashed into two other cars. The back of Vincent's car was wedged in the whole of the platform part. A few seats nearer would have put Vincent in the hospital, not unlikely under the ground, so he said.

A conflict in dates was the result of a handful gathering at the Holliday residence, Saturday evening, October 24th. A meeting for the local branch of the Gallaudet Alumni Association had been called for by Mrs. Holliday, who was unaware that the date had been engaged for a month by the National Association of the Deaf branch. Those present besides the host and hostess were: Mr. G. M. Teegarden, Mr. Bernard Teitelbaum, and Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Leitner. It was regrettable that more were not present, as it is imperative that branch meet to discuss the subscriptions to the Edward Minor Gallaudet Memorial Fund, which Mr. Teegarden, as General Agent for Pennsylvania, has arranged in an admirable form.

All the Gallaudetians who have not already contributed a substantial sum toward the fund, should make pledges of at least \$50. That is a measly sum to give, when you reflect on the benefits received from college attendance. The soliciting is not confined to collegians alone, but to all the deaf who are asked to contribute according to their appreciation of the work being accomplished in behalf of their brethren. Already two non-collegians, Vincent Dunn and Henry Bardes, have pledged \$25. Such spirit and generosity is greatly appreciated and commended. The N. A. D. branch has also pledged \$25, and it is hoped the other organizations will follow.

Pennsylvania's quota is \$3,300, which she is asked to raise by February 5th, 1926. As the canvassing is only in the cradle stage here, it is hard to be optimistic about February 5th. Extension of time should be given, as the amount is too large. Pennsylvania is a vast State, with so many of her deaf isolated and out of reach. Fears are expressed that it will take several years to raise that amount, in view of the other fund, which this State cannot disregard. It must be remembered that the Torresdale Home is newly bought and that there is a mortgage that must be paid off. The thing to do is to go ahead with both funds, since neither can be left unsupported.

Rev. F. C. Smielau held services at Trinity Sunday evening, October 25th. After the services he gave a talk on P. S. A. D. matters confirming the report that the Doylestown Home was sold for \$25,000. With this "elephant" off our hands and so much less to pay off on the Torresdale mortgage we can now go it easier. Still there is enough work ahead as the remainder about \$14,000, would require a number of years to raise. We expect no trouble in paying the mortgage interest, as a few rooms in the new home are rented at \$125 a month.

The local P. S. A. D. wishes to announce that a box social will be held Saturday evening, November 14th, at McGeagh Hall. Should the supply of boxes be inadequate, J. K. Forbes will be on hand with plenty of sandwiches and other eatables that appeal to the inner man, so remember the date and do your bit towards helping swell the fund.

Let it be gone stale with you—Hurrah! Hurrah! Pittsburgh Pirates, Champions of the World.

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F. M. HOLLIDAY.

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Everybody Welcome.

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## Canadian Clippings.

### TORONTO TIDINGS

Mr. James W. Ross is back on his job at the post office after an enforced absence of a week, due to a severe cold and an attack of lumbago.

In a letter to a friend in this city, the Misses Annie and Bella Mathison, who left for a lengthy visit to the principal countries of the old world last May, state they are in the best of spirits, are having a magnificent time and may return next December. They are the refined daughters of the late Supt. Robert Mathison, of the Belleville School, and intensely popular among the Deaf everywhere.

The members of our Ladies' Aid Society have formed a novel idea of raising funds for their Society. Each member has a part or square of a proposed large quilt, and any one, who gives a nickel or more will have her or his name embroidered on the Square. The idea has had a good start already, and when the quilt is completed a tidy sum is anticipated, and more added, when this souvenir bed cover is sold to the highest bidder.

Mr. Harry E. Grooms gave a splendid address on "Your Sins," at our church on October 25th, and Miss Beulah Wilson gave the usual hymn in her graceful way.

Miss Gladys Atkinson and her two hearing sisters have returned to their home in Paisley after a week's pleasant visit here lately.

The Finance Committee of our church met on October 27th, and a lot of financial problems were thrashed out.

By invitation of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Middleton, of Horning Mills, to visit them, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert W. Roberts went out to their place on the evening train of October 24th. Next morning the Middletons and their guests motored to Singhampton to bring back Mr. T. Taylor to enjoy a chicken dinner. Early Monday morning they motored to Barrie, forty miles away, going by way Maple Valley, Creemore and New Lowell. They called on Mr. and Mrs. Johnson in Barrie, where they had a delightful time. They returned home via Thornton, Cookstown, and Alliston, which was eighteen miles further, making ninety-eight miles in all. At Cookstown they met Mr. Samuel Averall in town, but had no time to call on the Bowen family nor Mrs. Philips in Lisle. Although they returned home in a blinding snowstorm, their trusty "Lizzie" brought them safely home. Mr. Roberts returned to this city Tuesday morning, but Mrs. Roberts remained in the country several days longer. They had a grand time.

Mr. Hermon St. Amant, who came to the city a few weeks ago to secure a steady job, did not get what he hoped for, so returned again to his home in Penetanguishene on October 24th.

In spite of the stormy weather, Frank E. Harris and Mr. William R. Watt went out and held successful meetings in London and Aurora respectively.

There was a general meeting called at the Y. M. C. A., on October 24th, to make arrangements for the re-opening of the Bridgen Club. There was but a small attendance and further action will be taken later.

### ST. WILLIAMS SILENTS.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Woodward have named their infant daughter, Ruth Iona Verna. She first saw the light of day last July.

Mr. James Chambers, of Silver Hill, was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Woodward for a while lately.

Miss Florence Davis, who lives between Silver Hill and Simcoe, was assisting Mrs. Vernon Woodward with her house cleaning for a week lately.

We are glad to see Mr. Vernon Woodward around again after being under the weather for some time suffering from a sore knee and stomach trouble. Mr. and Mrs. Woodward are making the grade very well on their well kept farm, and in sending their renewal for the JOURNAL, declare its breezy news banishes all loneliness.

### LONDON LEAVES

Why speak of dull times? Miss Hazel Humphrey is working overtime at Kellogg's Corn Flakes factory in East London.

Mr. Vernal Morse motored to Shelden and Fingal to visit a sister and other relatives. He has a Ford.

Mrs. W. J. Gould, Jr., went to Port Huron, where she spent the week-end of October 24th, with her friend, Mrs. John Mackie, and had a fine time.

Mr. Albert Fisher, only son of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Fisher, has returned from a ten days' pleasant sojourn with an uncle in New York City.

After being in Detroit for some time, Mr. Eddie Fishbein returned to home and family here recently, declaring that there is no place like "Home, sweet Home." Eddie is again working at the Echo Printing Office here.

Miss Susie Leathorn is now working at the office of the London Life Insurance Co., and getting good pay. It will be remembered that her father met a tragic death on the "Forbidden Path" a year ago, and she now supports her mother, who lives at London Gore, four miles east of the city.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Fisher went to Sarnia on October 24th, to spend the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Jontie Henderson. On Sunday, Mr. Fisher spoke at the service of the deaf there at the Y. M. C. A.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sutton, of Brantford, who had been visiting in Detroit and Windsor for a few weeks, gave their friends here a call, while en route for home.

### WOODSTOCK WHISPERS

A goodly number of their friends gave Mr. and Mrs. Robert McFarlane a shower and dance at her home in Eastwood, four miles east of here, on October 16th, and a great time was spent. Robert McFarlane is a brother of Mrs. Robert Batho, of Toronto.

We regret to report the death of Mrs. Bell Brown, step-mother of Mrs. Hector Bayliss, of Hamilton, who ended this life's journey on October 22d, and was buried at Harrison, Ont. Mr. and Mrs. Bayliss were up for the funeral services, but did not accompany the remains to Harrison.

While returning from the shower and dance at her son's home on October 16th, with her family, the Sedan in which they were riding, overturning on the slippery road, Mrs. Robert McFarlane, Sr., had the misfortune to have her right arm broken. The others escaped without injury. Mrs. Robert McFarlane, Sr., is the mother of Mrs. Robert Batho, of Toronto.

### BARRIE BREEZES.

A married sister, of our old friend, Mr. Richard O'Brien, of Ottawa, is living in this town.

Mr. Ursula Johnson is steadily employed at the Barrie Tannery Co., and making good money.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Averall, of Cookstown, were out to see Mr. and Mrs. U. Johnson on October 18th, and when about to leave for home their car gave out, so they were obliged to remain over night, much to the delight of Mrs. Johnson, who is never happier than when she has some deaf friends by her sick bedside.

Miss Margaret Rea is still looking after the wants of Mrs. U. Johnson, who has been obliged to keep to her bed for nearly two years, but in spite of this, she is very cheerful. She finds the occasional visit of her friends a source of great comfort.

On October 26th, the Johnson family were surprised yet delighted to receive a visit from their old friends, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Middleton and Miss Helen, of Horning Mills, and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert W. Roberts, of Toronto. Being at school together years ago, the reunion was a scene of much joy, and the parting was quite touching.

### WATERLOO WEE BITS.

Mr. John A. Moynihan was guest of the Golds in Kitchener on October 25th.

After a pleasant visit with friends in Kitchener, Miss Elizabeth Carter, of Guelph, has returned home.

Mrs. J. A. Moynihan and a lady friend motored out to Elmira one

day recently, and had a very enjoyable ride.

We understand a surprise birthday party was gotten up and tendered Mr. Isaiah Nahrang at his home near Speedville, but how it came off we have not yet heard. The weather on that evening was cold and rainy.

### GENERAL GLEANINGS

Mr. John T. Taylor, of Singhampton, was out to the Dundalk fair recently.

Mr. Gordon Smith, of Riverview, has gone to try for a job in Detroit. Don't know yet how he is faring.

On October 24th, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Averall, of Cookstown, motored to Aurora, where Mrs. Averall remained over night with Mrs. Herbert McKenzie, while Mr. Averall and Mr. McKenzie went on to Toronto, where they visited relatives, returning to Aurora next morning with Mr. William Watt, who conducted the services in Aurora that day. After the meeting, Mr. and Mrs. Averall returned to their Cookstown home.

Miss Gladys Atkinson, of Paisley, and Miss Margaret Kaufman, of Palmerston, were guests of Miss Maude McKee, of Tiverton, on October 18th.

Wonder where is our old friend, Mr. James J. Peake, who was last heard of in Parry Sound. We wish he would bob up.

Miss Gladys Blais, of Brantford, was in the city lately, visiting relatives and friends. She is trying to get a situation here. Here is pulling for her.

Mrs. Robert Batho and daughter left, on October 31st, for a lengthy visit to the former's parental home in Eastwood, near Woodstock. Mr. Batho is still in Montreal.

Mr. Arthur Bonvie, of Boston, Mass., has gone home, after a stay of a week in our midst. We were delighted to meet him.

That modest young bachelor, Mr. Daniel Fleming, of Craigleith, was down in our midst for a short visit during the first week of November. He was at the "Frat" Social on Halloween night.

Mrs. J. R. Byrne went up to Hamilton on November 1st, to interpret for the Deaf there, at a meeting where the hearing public were being enlightened on the needs of the Deaf for our proposed Church, but as the minister who was to have spoken was unable to come, there will be another meeting in three weeks' time.

The "Frat's" held a Halloween social at the Forrester's Hall on October 31st, and there was a large turnout. The programme consisted of comedies befitting the evening, and each act caused much laughter, as each was reeled off in burlesque style. As a result of this successful performance, a tidy little sum found its way into the coffers of the Treasurer's keeping.

Her legion of friends everywhere will rejoice to hear that Mrs. John T. Shilton, who recently went to the General Hospital for treatment of a troublesome ailment, is now improving at her home, and we trust she will soon be completely restored. Though not deaf herself, she is often rated as one of our own, on account of her mastery use of the signs and the warm interest she takes in our welfare.

"Follow Me" saith our Saviour to all His people, and if we do, He is sure to lead us into a more beautiful Paradise. Thus was the theme of a well defined address given at our service on November 1st, by Mr. Frank E. Harris, and was assisted by Miss Ethel Griffith, who tastefully rendered, "Stand up, Stand up, For Jesus."

At a special meeting of our Ladies' Aid Society held on October 29th, it was decided to purchase about one hundred kitchen chairs for use in the basement of our new church. The price to be paid is about seventy two cents each. The T. Eaton Co. got the contract to supply them.

Mr. H. W. Roberts and a cousin motored up to King City on October 29th, to bring down some fall apples that were grown on the former's town lot up there. A few days previous Messrs. George Wedderburn and Philip Fraser also motored up to the orchard. The apple crop this year has been an unusually large one.

Mr. Lewis Ireland, of Acton, was

down in our midst renewing old acquaintances over the week-end of October 31st.

Mr. W. Wesley Scott was a lucky chap on November 2d, when he received free tickets to the Arena Gardens to skate on the artificial ice. Billy claims the distinction of being the first deaf person here to go whirling around on steel blades so far this season. If any one can beat him, please speak out.

Mr. Albert Roberts, of St. Thomas, gave his nephew, the reporter, a call at the Terminal Post Office on November 3d. He was down to see the Provincial Government on Hydro matters.

Perhaps many will be surprised to know that in this city there are over two score of deaf young people who never attend any of our meetings, because they can't converse in our signs, due to having been taught in the pure oral system. We pity their lonely lots.

PONTIAC, MICH., POINTS

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sutton, of Brantford, Ont., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hardenberg over a recent week-end. Although Mrs. Sutton (nee Miss Martha Leigh), and Mrs. Hardenberg (nee Miss Annie Henderson), were schoolmates at Belleville, they had not seen each other for over twenty-eight years, and their meeting was most cordial.

Miss Eva Hardenberg attended a Masquerade Ball in Detroit on October 30th, and reports a romping time. She visited friends there ere she wended her way Pontiacward.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Brown, of Rochester, Mich., motored over here recently and picked up the Hardenberg family, motored on to Flint to see the two Hardenberg children at school there, and before returning, called to see Mr. and Mrs. Heck. The trip was a long and delightful one.

SARNIA SAYINGS

Mrs. Leich, mother of Mrs. Jontie Henderson, is at present visiting her daughter, Mrs. Culver Borolby, in Simcoe, and will visit another daughter in Hamilton before returning to her home here.

On October 24th, Mr. and Mrs. John Fisher, accompanied by Mrs. W. H. Gould, all of London, motored to this city, and in the evening the Fishers, with Mr. and Mrs. Jontie Henderson and son Gordon, were invited for tea at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Kresin in Port Huron. After tea Mr. and Mrs. John MacKie and their guest, Mrs. Gould and Miss Alice Lockie came in, thus making up a very social bunch for the evening, and no wonder they all had a great time for Mr. Kresin is well known as a comical entertainer.

We were surprised at the large turnout of our friends at the meeting here on October 25th, which Mr. Fisher conducted, in spite of the very nasty weather that prevailed all day. Mr. Fisher is certainly an eloquent speaker and gave a very interesting address in clear-cut style.

Among those at Mr. Fisher's meeting on October 24th, we were pleased to meet Mr. William Wark, of Wyoming, after his recent long illness. Glad to say he is well again and motored up with Mrs. Wark and Miss Jean Wark. They expect their son and brother home from the western harvest fields soon.

GENERAL GLEANINGS

We extend congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stacy Bartley, of Long Branch, on the advent of their first child, a daughter, on October 25th. Mrs. Bartley was formerly Miss Lillian Curtis, of Todmorden, and married Mr. Bartley some eight years ago. The little tot carries the name of Kathleen.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Middleton and daughter, Helen, of Horning Mills, accompanied by their guest Mrs. H. W. Roberts, of Toronto, motored up to Corbetton on November 1st, and spent the day most pleasantly with the Sheritt family.

Miss Grace Robinson has returned to her home in Kingston, after visiting relatives in Port Hope for over six weeks, where she had a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bootes, of Winnipeg, are receiving the congratulation of their many friends upon the advent of a daughter on October 19th. They call the little one Lucy Ellen Bootes.

HERBERT W. ROBERTS.

### IRRESISTIBLE LOGIC.

In the issue of the JOURNAL of October 22d, Mr. E. S. Tillinghast, late of Fulton, Mo., now of Sioux Falls, S. D., under the heading of "Dr. Cloud's Logic," refers to my Review of his Survey of Gallaudet School, St. Louis. The Survey was made in June, 1924, and published in January, 1925. My Review of the Survey appeared the following May. Both the Survey and my Review are in pamphlet form, and never have been published in any newspaper. Consequently Mr. Tillinghast's reference to them in the JOURNAL must be to JOURNAL readers about as interesting as last year's bird's nests.

Mr. Tillinghast accuses me of twisting, turning and straining certain passages of a letter of his which is published in full in my Review. As this letter has never been published elsewhere, I very much doubt if readers of the JOURNAL are willing to let Mr. Tillinghast do their thinking for them and warp their opinions to fit his own view point.

Mr. Tillinghast refers to certain letters written by representative deaf persons, and some hearing friends of the deaf, on the question of methods. In this connection Mr. Tillinghast quotes himself approvingly as having said: "As a whole, they present in a very emphatic way the views of some of the ablest deaf men in the country and would be well worth printing in pamphlet form for general distribution." So far good.

But the force of his statement is effectively nullified by the following statement taken from the same letter: "There have been many prominent and well educated deaf teachers of the deaf, who must inevitably have felt that the steady advance of the oral method of instruction was a direct and increasing menace to the security and prestige of their own positions in the work."

In my Review I characterized this statement by Mr. Tillinghast as being not only a mistaken view point, but an unworthy one. In one sentence he commends letters from the ablest deaf men in the country, and suggests their publication in pamphlet form for general distribution. In another he refers to the prominent and well educated deaf teachers as self-interested and fighting for their jobs. I claim a rather extensive acquaintance among the ablest deaf teachers during the last forty-five years, and do not know of one who in his zeal for the cause of rational education for the deaf gave a thought to his own personal security and prestige in the work. Many of them, to their lasting credit, fought the insidious encroachments of unbalanced oralism, but it was for the common welfare of the deaf and not for themselves. Be it remembered that many of these able deaf teachers were willing to risk their positions for the cause, and continue to fight, had not they been forbidden to do so by their superintendents. Not that these superintendents cared especially for the deaf teachers, or for the deaf, but because the superintendents were fearful of drawing the ire of the oralists, and thereby endanger their own positions and prestige.

Mr. Tillinghast claims, in effect, that I am inconsistent in criticizing him since, in the past, I have quoted approvingly from his writings. I have been glad to quote him, when we were well agreed, but his addresses, which he mentions as having been drawn upon by me were not made in recent years. He had not long been in Missouri before the deaf began to feel instinctively that he was shifting somewhat from the true four square position, which the sainted Edward M. Gallaudet consistently, courageously, and ably maintained under any and all circumstances.

While Mr. Tillinghast saw, or thought he saw, the motives in the Gallaudet School situation at the time of his Survey, he apparently failed to see the beams of his own administration of the school at Fulton. However, the Board of Managers took cognizance of them, and the logic the Board applied to remedy the situation proved irresistible.

J. H. CLOUD.

### ST. THOMAS' MISSION FOR THE DEAF

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"He's true to God who's true to man; Wherever wrong is done To the humblest and the weakest 'Neath the all-beholding sun, That wrong is also done to us, And they are slaves most base, Whose love of right is for themselves, And not for all the race."

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Notice concerning the whereabouts of individuals will be charged at the rate of ten cents a line.

THE New England Home for the Aged and infirm Deaf-Mutes has recently been moved from Everett, Mass., to Danvers, Mass. The new Home was first occupied on October 8th, 1925, after being located at Everett about twenty years. The Home at Danvers is called "Riverbank" and is much more commodious than the old one. It was obtained by a "drive," and nearly \$60,000 was subscribed. The residents were transferred without mishap.

The first donation day at "Riverbank" was on the twelfth day of October, and was attended by over four hundred people. Clothing, fruit, vegetables, and household articles, were donated, besides cash to the amount of \$175.

We congratulate the deaf of new England, through whose voluntary work the Home has been supported since its inception, and the new property acquired. Such unselfish devotion to a very worthy cause is worthy of emulation and reward.

The property at Everett is for sale, and they hope to realize from twelve to fifteen thousand dollars on it. There is on it a mansion house of fifteen rooms and a remodelled stable, and the location is good, fronting on three accepted streets.

AFTER forty-seven years as a teacher, first in South Carolina and the latter thirty-seven years in Olathe, Kansas, David S. Rogers has retired. He is a graduate of Gallaudet College, is the Class of '73, and has done honor to himself and the college by his steadfast and successful career as an educator of the deaf. He retires in good health and spirits to a rest well deserved.

Mrs. Ida Jenkins, who lives at Lake George, N. Y., and who, before her marriage, was Miss Ida Jenkins, a graduate of the Malone School, was elected tax-collector of the village of Lake George at the recent election with a plurality of sixty-three votes. The tenure of the office is for two years, and the emoluments are based on the fee system. The tax list not only covers the village of eight hundred inhabitants, but also the outlying townships, and includes a good many large country estates of well-known people, approximating \$60,000 annually.

On Saturday last, at the Chapel of the Intercession, the funeral service over the remains of Madame Le Prince were read by Rev. Dr. Gates. There were a good many in attendance, including three from the New York Institution (Fanwood)—Dr. T. F. Fox, Prof. Wm. G. Jones, and Mr. Edwin A. Hodgson. Madame Le Prince was art teacher at Fanwood

for five years—from 1883 to 1888. Her husband, M. Augustus LePrince, is said to have been the real inventor of moving pictures. He mysteriously disappeared while en route from Paris to Spain, to negotiate concerning prior rights, and was never again heard of.

## Gallaudet College

Thursday evening, October 22d, Gallaudet sent a squad of eighteen football players together with Manager Fletcher and Coach Hughes to Jefferson City, twenty-five miles this side of Knoxville, Tenn. The men had a Pullman of their own, on the Southern Railroad. They arrived late in the afternoon on the following day. It was drizzling at the time. During the night a steady downpour set in. Saturday morning it rained intermittently, but by noon it let up. At 2:30 p.m. Carson-Newman and Gallaudet took the field, a freshly-broken piece of red clay soil. The writer has seen a lot of Iowa's famed mud roads, but by ginger they have nothing on the Carson-Newman gridiron after a rain. It was the stickiest bit of gumbo "this side of paradise."

The game was very slow. After every play the umpire had to scrape off a two-inch layer of sticky Tennessee mud from the ball. The mud clung to the shoes in big clods. Fumbles were frequent. The Fighting Parsons dropped the ball near their goal line in the first quarter, and Gallaudet recovered it. After four plunges by our backs, Byouk went across the line for a touchdown. In the next quarter, the Parsons secured a touchdown by taking to the air. In the second half the Tennessee collegians got the breaks. Byouk, usually an extraordinary punter, could not kick the mud-covered ball squarely, with the result that the Parsons worked up slowly, but steadily and finally scored again in the fourth quarter.

Lineup: Gallaudet (6) Carson-Newman (13)  
Position  
Scarvie Right End Ballard  
Mlynarek Right Tackle M. Weaver  
Young Right Guard Snyder  
Ridings Center McNabb  
Reins Left Guard Hicks  
Killian Left Tackle A. Weaver  
Hirth Left End Dillion  
Huworwitz Quarter Back Tucker  
Byouk Half Back G. Ballard  
Miller Full Back Abbott  
Szopa Full Back Haas  
Substitutions—Gallaudet, Wright for Hirth, Johnson for Mlynarek, Mlynarek for Johnson, Knauss for Johnson, Carson-Newman—Leftwick for Abbott. Touchdowns—Leftwick 2; Byouk 1.

After the game a number of deaf people from Knoxville arranged a trip to that city for the Gallaudet representatives. Most of the players enjoyed the trip in private cars, while a few took a bus. All were taken around the grounds of the Tennessee Institution for the Deaf, and then to the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. Chandler. Here the college men were shown warm southern hospitality on every side, a number of local deaf people having assembled at the Chandler home to welcome them. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Chambers, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer, Mr. Kennedy, Mr. Midgett, and others whose names the writer regrets he can not recall. The merry company enjoyed games and a few "teasers" until a late hour, when ice cream bricks put a deft finishing stroke on a pleasant evening.

Wednesday afternoon, when the Marine Barracks team failed to show up, Coach Hughes sent the first and second teams to scrimmage on the gridiron. In the course of the game Mr. Alto, a player of considerable promise, received a painful injury in the left ankle. Later the doctor discovered that the white-crowned Connecticut singer had two broken bones. No more football for Sulo this fall!

The "mollycoddles," shunning football, have turned to golf, almost to a man. Recently they arranged for a tournament, which will determine the Hagen and Saracen of Campus Course. Every contestant seems to be very much worked up over the matches, particularly Barney Golden. Besides being the Landis of the Scotch game, "Old Silent" is credited with holding the strings of the money bag.

A gala crowd assembled in the gymnasium Friday evening, all masked and costumed, for it was Halloween night on Kendall Green. The revelers went almost mad for a while, so insane and ridiculous were the actions of the darky, Nick Braunagel and his powerful better half, Albert Rose, who by the way, took first prize among the men students for having the best original make-up. Mr. McCanness, Prep, won the second prize by mocking Moses. The Co-eds turned out with several screaming figures among them.

Miss Holmes, Prep, a walking scarecrow, won the first award, and Miss Curry, dressed as a snail, drew the second prize. Games were played, but as they seemed a bit tame, to some of the students, quite a bit of

dancing was done. Apple cider on tap, doughnuts, peanuts, apples, confetti, corn stalks, witches, black cats, and a pleasure-mad crowd; that was what you would have seen if you had peeked into the gym that night.

When the judges had awarded the prizes, it was discovered that they had not seen everyone in the room before giving their decisions. On the south wall stood a straw scarecrow, bound fast. It acted as a convenient elbow-prop for one of the faculty for a while. After the announcement of awards, two fellows attacked the straw figure, and "lo and behold!" out came "Senior" Fletcher in humble mien. Poor guy, he had stood motionless, with outstretched arms, for more than a solid hour with a professor's elbow on his nose for no short time at that.

The men, who intended to take their burning flames with them to Annapolis, to see the Gallaudet-St. John game, made arrangements to travel on a bus. When the faculty heard of the plan, they raised a protesting finger. "Might not the bus go bust, that is, upset?" they said. "You've gotta take the trolley." As said, so done.

Miss Peet was ill Friday and unable to hold her classes. Although the juniors were sorry to hear that their French professor was sick, they didn't try to hide it from anybody that they were happy that there was no recitation, for it was examination day. They apparently forgot that the "day of reckoning" will still get them. The writer is pleased to report that Miss Peet is entirely well again.

Accompanied by over forty rooters, Gallaudet's eleven trolleyed to Annapolis Saturday, October 31st. Also this game was fought on a muddy field. Gallaudet was again unable to get the necessary punch into her attack, and—it's the same old story this year—lost. The score was 33-7. Byouk scored after receiving a pass from Miller in the second quarter.

Hirth, L. E.; Humann, L. T.; Reins, L. O.; Ridings, C.; Johnson R. G.; Humann, R. T.; Scarvie, R. E.; Byouk, L. H. B.; Szopa, P. B.; Miller, R. H. B. Substitutions: Wright for Hirth, Hirth for Wright, Nomeland for Reins, Reins for Nomeland, Knauss for Johnson, Johnson for Knauss, Peterson for Scarvie, Scarvie for Horowitz, Knauss for Johnson. Washington received a pleasant surprise, when Jack Frost came around Friday afternoon and blew down a lot of fluffy snow. Halloween truly came "when the frost is on the pumpkin, and the corn is in the shock," if that's quoting Riley right. The feature of the Sunday School exercises on November 1st, was Luther Shibley's rendition of the well-known hymn, "How Firm a Foundation." Walter King spoke the song orally in accompaniment. Both these young men are juniors.

Of the participants in the Golf Tournament, Messrs. Hofsteater, McCall, Miller and Burnes, reached the semi-finals. Rozelle McCall and Charles Miller won out. At an early date the match to determine the championship will be played.

In a recent number of the Los Angeles Times appeared an illustrated article entitled, "Colorful Captains." Among the paragraphs was the following reference to a number of players: "There is another Capt. Brown, too, tackle at Colorado College and another Capt. White, full back of the University of Tennessee Doctors. And don't forget Capt. Rose of Gallaudet College, Washington, D. C., another 'colorful' fullback." In the Albright game Rose had a bone broken in his left hand. Now it is about healed. Sir Rose thinks he will be able to play in the two games that remain on the schedule. Then, Look Out! Loyola and C. U.; our Missouri Rose will paint you red!

The Literary Society gave a public meeting in chapel Friday evening. President Kaercher announced that the society this year would make an effort to give students the opportunity of making most "speeches." (For a long time alumni have had a monopoly on this part of the program.) Accordingly our N. Dakota junior, Nick Braunagel, took the stage and narrated in entertaining manner "The Death Shower," and "The Necklace." Then for half an hour William Landry and Leonard Lau debated pro, and James Flood and Max Thompson con, on the subject: Resolved, that the Coal mines should be owned and operated by the Federal Governor. It was a big issue to discuss, but Lau was equal to the occasion. His reach is tremendous, and his signs were literally so far-reaching (Landry's, too) that the judges were induced to give the affirmative side the decision. Robert Marsen and Henry Holter rushed upon the stage at this point and pulled off a silly farce which brought out much laughter. Floyd Brower followed with a carefully delivered number, the poem "Wanderlust," a pretty bit of verse. Senior B. B. Burnes acted as critic, but instead of pointing out mistakes and offering advice he gave the entertainers of the evening, and even the audience, a lavish dose of "highfelltent" praise. "All is well that ends well."

Bucknell University was on our football card November 7th. We went up there fully aware of the odds against us, but determined to fight every minute. Quite a number of our men were not in good condition due to pulled muscles, skinned shins and bruises of all kinds. Scarvie, a regular, was completely

out of the running with a strained back. The tale of the game is not a surprising one. We lost 56 to 0. Bucknell displayed speed in every department and had little difficulty in making gains. The line-up: Knauss, R. E., Butman, R. T., Johnson, (E.), R. G., Ridings, C., Reins, L. G., Killian, L. T., Hirth, L. E., Mlynarek, Q. B., Byouk, L. H. B., Miller, R. H. B., Szopa, F. B. Substitutions—Peterson for Hirth, Wright for Knauss for Miller, McBride for Johnson for Killian for Wright, Nomeland for Reins.

Arrangements are being made to have another Mollycoddle Football Game on Thanksgiving Day. On a placard posted in the Reading Room in College Hall calling for volunteers have been signed a number of names of luminaries of last year's battle. We notice among others under the Senior-Junior-Sophomore team the following signatures: Walter John Krug, right, left, and all other ends; Jacobson, everything, but not center; Jno. Reed, jr., guard or anything; B. B. Burnes, quarterback; N. A. Braunagel, fullback. (B. B. B. and N. A. B. were the outstanding stars last year.) In the Freshman-Prep column occur a few terrors, Howard T. Hofsteater, L. E., 100-lb. Alabama linebuster; Sacks, Mascot, Yahn, any or every position (here's a prodigy, watch him); McCanness, Mascot No. 2. Yes, interest is keen, and a fierce game is anticipated.

## The Capital City.

The Hallowe'en night was full of "innocent pranks," and no rowdiness was tolerated.

The old curfew bell has resumed its ringing, and the children have to be at home by ten o'clock.

Rev. Mr. H. J. Pulver is soliciting this week for donations from the deaf of Washington and near-by towns for the E. M. Gallaudet Fund.

Through the Local Committee, Mr. Roberts, President, N. A. D., has announced the dates for the Washington, 1926 Convention, passed by the Executive Board as August 9th to 14th, 1926.

The following items were clipped from a recent daily:

"The Bucknell Bisons, Lewisburg, Pa., holds the Gallaudet team as a worthy foe and will be staged in the Memorial Stadium at Lewisburg, Pa., Saturday, November 7th."

"St. John's, light but fast and well-coached football team, won from the heavier eleven of Gallaudet here October 31st, by 33 to 7."

Miss Cora Phillips has just sent in her subscriptions to the JOURNAL and the Silent Worker. She is making her home with Mrs. Frank Adams, 1213 Decatur Street, Northwest. Miss Cora is a pleasant young brunette, and can converse well by lip, and makes a lovely companion for Mrs. Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Vernier, with the assistance of their sixteen-month-old son, entertained several young folks to a glorious Hallowe'en party at their home Saturday evening, October 31st.

A Hallowe'en party was held by the Lip-Reading Club of Washington at the Volta Bureau, 1601—36th Street, N. W., October 31st. Many members appeared in costume, and an interesting program was given. The public attended.

It is regretted to report that the last thirteen horse chestnut trees which George Washington planted in Fredericksburg, Va., to represent the thirteen original colonies, is slowly dying, on account of its great age.

Mr. E. E. Maczkowski, formerly of Detroit, is now living in Washington. He led the Bible Class at the Baptist Mission Sunday evening, October 25th.

Harry J. Carter is still living in the District and still a cheerful bachelor. He goes about doing wall papering and decorating.

The "Lit" Society was held Wednesday evening, October 21st, at the Masonic Temple, on 8th Street and F. Miss Cora Phillips, Mrs. Roy Stewart, and Mr. Amos Cooper, was admitted as members. The officials gave encouraging reports about the 1926 Convention Fund.

The letter of the President of the N. A. D. that appeared in the JOURNAL of October 22d, explained itself clearly and satisfactorily. The report in the JOURNAL of September 17th, was responsible for the misunderstanding and stupidity. It did not report an exact and accurate part of the inscription omitted.

One of the most pleasant things the Washington 1926 N. A. D. Committee has to say is: "Washington is going to give you, the N. A. D. visitors the 'Swangandalest' time they have ever experienced." BE SURE TO COME.

The first snow of the season fell here October 30th. Three inches. Health's Best Way—Eat apples Every Day! was the slogan for the past two weeks.

In remembrance of Mary F. Soud<sup>2</sup> er, a member who passed away last August, the members of the Baptist Mission did not hold their annual entertainment on Hallowe'en night. In Detroit homes among the deaf, birthdays play a great part. They love to remember their birthday. I

believe days of congratulation are days of good will, which I miss here this year.

Edward Humphrey, an old resident of Chicago has been living here with his married sister for two years.

Flappers who roll their stockings are establishing a practice in the right direction. The doctors declared that the old practice of wearing garters above the knees impedes the blood circulation.

### 'DETROIT NEWS'

The University of Michigan Women's Association began the year with a reception at the Ingleside Club Friday, October 30th, from 3 to 5 o'clock. Detroit Alumnae in large numbers made this a memorable event, and out of town visiting alumnae were welcomed cordially. Mrs. Donald Kotts (Dana Pettibone) an oralist, was in charge of the affair, and which will be followed by a series of group teas in the near future. Dana is well known among the deaf young set.

Mrs. Alloy Japes was pleasantly surprised by 28 of her friends at her new home. Most of the guests were oralist, remembering Mrs. Japes with many beautiful gifts.

Mr. Ivan Heymansson, Mr. Goth, spent the week-end of October 31st with friends in Flint.

Mrs. Werner's aged mother, Mrs. Hartman, passed away September 5th.

Mrs. John Mackie, of Port Huron, Mich., was a visitor in Sarnia, Ont., recently.

It is great news to the deaf that the Ontario Association of the Deaf will convene in Windsor, Ont., over on the other side of the Detroit River, July 1st to 4th, 1926.

Mr. Fred McCarthy, president of the Detroit Association of the Deaf, was in Buffalo two weeks ago on a pleasure trip. He is still a bachelor and a very pleasant conversationalist.

Mr. Jesse A. Waterman, was in Detroit for the interest of the Stags recently, and his Michigan friends were glad to see him.

MRS. C. C. COLBY.

## CHICAGO.

The self-elected "Boss," of Chicago, by all the gods he swore

That "Molehead" Meagher shouldn't write this column any more!

And so his catspaws scurried round with dour looks and dread—

They peddled a pe-tish-un aimed to hit mine liddle head.

A pretty pink petition that proposed to knock me daffy

Because I preferred terse trite truths to promiscuous "raffy."

Oh, my bosom's full of sorrow and my heart is weighed with woe—

They offered Gray my joyful job, but Gray retorted "No-o-o-o!"

### TO CONFIRM CLASS OF DEAF-MUTES

Bishop Charles P. Anderson, of the Episcopal Diocese of Chicago, will perform a unique religious ceremony, Sunday, November 1st, when he confirms a class of deaf-mutes at All Angels, Episcopal Church here.

The bishop's audience as well as the candidates will be entirely of deaf and dumb persons. The sign language is used entirely by the church, the rector, Rev. George F. Flick, being a deaf-mute.

Bishop Anderson will pronounce the words of confirmation in the usual way. An interpreter standing near him, will translate the ceremony for the deaf-mutes' understanding into the sign language.—Chicago Journal, Oct. 31.

At the occasion mentioned, Bishop Anderson confirmed Mrs. Louise Rutherford and her daughter Doris. Mrs. Gus Hyman interpreted. A good crowd attended. The members also took Holy Communion at a morning service.

"Them there female lady" women as Luther Woods would call them, have not been extra successful at engineering original and truly enjoyable "good times" at local clubs of late years, so the bang-up, gilt-edged, whee-whizz Hallowe'en party at the Silent A. C., October 31st, surprised us. Mrs. Harry Leiter was Chairman, and "Kit" as we call her was certainly there with the bells on. She selected a corking committee, and she made them work. It was not one of those things "for young folks only," as so many of the Sac affairs are these days; indeed not. Young and old alike were cajoled and sandbagged into indulging in undignified, but delightful gyrations. Paid admissions totaled 219; if we had known what was in store for us the gate would have seen some 600. Tasteful decorations; games from 8:30 to all steadily; and nice refreshments, featured.

The same night ninety attended the Pas-a-Pas club Hallowe'en, managed by young Johnnie Carlson, with his sister Edna dishing out the eats. Guy Favorite managed the Epworth League Hallowe'en with an attendance of sixty.

Mrs. Joe Wonda had a private Hallowe'en at her home for thirteen—count 'em, thirteen on the 24th.

The Herald and Examiner's "Voice of the people," October 30th, carried this good boost from some unknown booster:

### MUTES AS DRIVERS.

Sir—I notice a statement made by Judge Henry M. Walker saying that mutes should not be allowed to drive cars and I consider it an insult to many of us. He might have had an occasional case where a deaf-mute came up in his automobile court, yet he jumps up and says all are unfit to drive a motor car. There are thousands of mutes owning and driving cars all over the United

States and accidents among them are rare. I hope the judge will hear of this and think twice before he condemns a whole class without giving thought to the percentage of bad and good in it.

A. MUTE.

### CHICAGO.

Mesdames O'Neil, Brimble, Sprague and Knight served as "tagger" October 19th, when the Children's Benefit League netted \$107.200. Among the printed list of institution participating appeared this item: "Ephpheta School for the Deaf, \$2,630.26."

Mrs. Ward Small writes from Santa Barbara, Cal., that Ward's health is improving. "The climate here is ideal—there is a sort of lazy charm about it, and it's never too hot or too cold. But right now I am hungry for the smell of burning autumn leaves back in dear old Evanston—that sharp smoke tang to the air which tickles ones nostrils. Your column in the JOURNAL is a source of joy, as it is a means of keeping in touch with many of our friends. The way you folks piece things together makes it an interesting bit of home news for us. It is not merely a stupid ledger of marriages, births and deaths. Besides, there is a sort of humorous side to everything you scribble that is much appreciated by your friends." Mrs. Small and son expect to come back on a visit next summer, while Ward fishes in the mountains at Lake Tahoe.

"Them kind words" come like a sunbeam in a storm. I had about decided to let the world struggle on without my Chicago column—a labor which bringeth nothing but brick-bats and criticism. But since there is at least one discerning soul in the universe who appreciates the Meagher mutterings, guess I can "carry on" for a few weeks yet.

M. Kenny, of Detroit, attended the Sac Hallowe'en, en route home after a month in Vicksburg, Miss., whither he was called by the death of his father. His wife remains in Vicksburg a spell.

Mrs. George F. Flick is back after having been in Baltimore over a month. In response to a telegram, she and her husband hurried there to the bedside of her dying father, arriving just too late to see him alive.

Elmer Disz has bought an eight-room house on the South side. He came from Texas two years ago, and being industrious and thrifty has prospered and waxed plump. Disz is the kind of silent citizen who reflects credit on our class.

The Charles Kemps took the Johnnie Sullivan family out to Elmhurst in the Kemp auto on the 1st, to dine with the George Schrivvers.

W. Allman has gone to California, intending to stay until spring.

"Silent Olson," the professional wrestler, was recently making the rounds, looking exceedingly prosperous. "Miami real estate is my line now," he states.

Alfred Arnot's mother came up from Springfield to visit him.

Mrs. E. Fuller engineered a birthday surprise party for Mrs. Jesse Waterman on the 1st.

John Joseph of Foley, Alabama, father of Mrs. F. Meinken's two children, is visiting them.

Mrs. Maggie Briggs, of Rib Lake, Wisconsin, is spending a few days with "Granny" Minnie Sullivan. They were classmates, yet had not seen each other for 53 years.

The brother and mother of Jimmie Meagher recently came up from Kentucky on an excursion—her first visit to Chicago in just twenty-four years.

Mrs. A. C. Shepherd (Petronella Schaus), of Toronto, Canada, is visiting her mother here.

Mrs. Louise Schroeder was pretty badly bruised when struck by an auto the first week in November. No bones broken.

A letter from St. Louis states Illinois' greatest graduate—the Rev. Dr. James H. Cloud, past-president of the N. A. D., underwent a minor operation at St. Luke's Hospital in that city.

Virgil Dowell, of Duenweg, Mo., "a traveling salesman of fountain pens," he says, is in town.

Thanksgiving time approaches. The price of potatoes is high. Ye of the warm hearts and open hands

think of the Illinois Home for Aged Deaf, located at 4539 Grand Blvd., Chicago. Certainly many out-of-town readers, or their friends, have more estates than they can use. A warm glow of self-satisfaction will make Thanksgiving doubly thankful for those who send the Home something to feel thankful for. You yourself may be an inmate there some day, if luck turns against you.

Dates ahead: November 21—Sac fall dance. Bunco and "500," Pas. 25—Sac bunco, "500," and dance. 26—\$5 round trip to Jacksonville—our state school—"Homecoming," football game between I. S. D. and the Jacksonville H. S. 28—Rev. Henry Rutherford lectures at the Pas. Dec. 5—Sac lecture by Ross. J. FREDERICK MEAGHER.

### RELIGIOUS NOTICE

Baptist Evangelist to the Deaf. Will answer all calls.

J. W. MICHAELS, 704 Park Street, Boulevard, N. Fort Worth, Texas.

## FANWOOD.

On Wednesday, November 4th, at four o'clock, a crowd of cadets attended the tournament game of basket ball between "Nat," under the captaincy of Cadet Adjutant Cerniglio, and "Eddie," led by Cadet Captain Kerwin, in the gymnasium.

In the first half "Nat" was in the lead, as Cerniglio, Schurman and Harris, both starred so well. The "Eddie" team spurted and almost evened the score. At the end of the half it was 15 to 13 in favor of the "Nat" team. In the second half both teams struggled for the lead. Cerniglio was ruled off the floor in the fourth quarter for having four personal fouls. Schwing substituted for him. "Nat" team played stubbornly during Cerniglio's absence, as Schurman played valiantly. Kerwin made three goals, winning the game by 23 to 20.

NAT (20) EDDIE (23)  
Schurman L.F. Giordano  
A. Grossman R.F. S. Grossman  
Harris C. Lander  
Kindel L.G. Kerwin, capt.  
Cerniglio, capt. R.G. Blend

Substitute—"Nat" Cerniglio to Schwing. "Eddie" Lander to Carroll. Field Goals—S. Grossman, 4; Kerwin, 5; Giordano, 1; Schurman, 4; Cerniglio, 3; Schwing, 1. Foul Goals—Kerwin, 3; Schurman, 2; Harris, 1; Cerniglio, 1. Timekeeper—L. Farber. Scorer—D. Aellis.

The game of "Nat—Eddie" was very exciting, and thrilled the spectators.

On Election Day, November 3d, Cadet Captain Arne N. Olsen attended the football game between Erasmus High School and Manual Training High School. The score was 17 to 13 in favor of Manual Training High School.

On the 25th of October, Miss Gertrude Lefkowitz, a graduate of this school, was betrothed to Mr. Benjamin Brandelstein, a former pupil of the Lexington School.

The New York Institution (Fanwood) now has one of the most up-to-date printing offices in schools for the deaf throughout the country. During the summer the following improvements and additions were made in the DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL plant: a three-roller Miehle cylinder press with a type bed of 29 inches by 42 inches; two linotypes, a model 8 and a model 5; new type; a motor for the Gordon job press; a new Chandler and Price jobber; a Diamond paper cutter operated with a motor. All of the machines have individual electric motors. Another pleasing improvement consists of new lighting, metal ceiling and lots of paint.

Bro. Hodgson has long served the deaf so efficiently and so faithfully as editor of the JOURNAL that we are only too happy to rejoice with him and wish for him continued success and good health.—Deaf Oklahoman.

On the fifth of November, Mrs. Bernard Greene (nee Miss Schurmack), a graduate of '24, of the Fanwood School, paid a short visit to her school here. The girls were pleased to see her again.

On Election Day, the 3d of November, about eighty visitors from the Teachers College of Columbia University, came hereto to see the Battalion Drill in the morning. They also looked around the school-rooms.

November 3d, was the Election Day, and the pupils had a morning session in the school, and in the afternoon, they were relieved from all scholastic duties.

The cadets began to practice on running in the Macomb's Dam Park on Saturdays for the contests of the Brooklyn Division, No. 23, N. F. S. D., on Saturday, November 28th, 1925. Now the Fanwood Relay team has but three veterans—Cadet Drum Major Frank Heintz, Cadet Captain Eddie Kerwin, and Cadet Lieutenant William Schurman.

The Fanwood Athletic Association Seniors will give the basket-ball schedules, with the names of the opposing teams, next week.

November 21st, there will be a big basket-ball game, between the Fanwood team and Houston team (formerly pupils of here). It is to be held in our gymnasium.

On the 2d, Mr. Sam Bascheim, a graduate of the Lexington Avenue School made a visit to the school and the printing office. He is assistant instructor of printing at the Lexington Avenue School.

In the evening of Election Day, a Fanwood graduate, named Mr. Alfred Ederheimer, visited this school.

On Sunday, November 7th, the pupils assembled in chapel. A lecture entitled "Dark and Light," was delivered by Dr. T. F. Fox.

Miss Sophia A. Knapp, of Winchester, N. H., one of the oldest pupils of the Hartford School, passed away on August 23d. She was born in January, 1844, and was at school six years, and was of a lovely character, devoted to her church. Her life was a happy one, in spite of her deafness, and a source of happiness to others.



## NEW YORK.

News items for this column should be sent direct to the DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL, Station M, New York.

A few words of information in a letter or postal card is sufficient. We will do the rest.

### THIRTIETH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.

On Tuesday evening, November 3d, 1925, Mr. and Mrs. Max Miller celebrated their thirtieth wedding anniversary at their new apartment, 5 Post Avenue, New York City.

This union has been blessed by three children—Mrs. Bessie Levy, of Boston, Mass., and two sons, Irving and Walter.

Mrs. Levy, not being able to attend, telephoned her hearty congratulations.

Among the deaf friends present were the following: Messrs. and Mesdames Max M. Lubin, A. A. Cohn, S. Gomprecht, M. L. Kenner, J. C. Sturtz, Hatowsky, S. Garson, Wasserman, H. Plapinger, A. C. Bachrach, S. Kohn, M. W. Loew, E. Left, Misses A. and V. Hoffman, M. Hornstein, L. Stofoli, R. Champagne, Z. Bornstein, Mrs. Mayers, Mrs. A. Solomon, Mrs. I. Moses, Mrs. Foland, Messrs. J. Ebin, J. Peters, A. Galland, E. Souweine and A. Capelle.

The presents bestowed on the couple were handsome and useful. Space will not permit a description.

Refreshments consisting of various kind of sandwiches, soft drinks, ice cream and cake, fruit and bon bons, were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Miller are both graduates of Fanwood.

Mr. Max Miller while a pupil learned printing under Mr. Edwin A. Hodgson, and was one of those boys who tried his level best to master the many difficulties that the deaf encounter at it. He always had a quick conception of things, and it was his habit always to remember when he made a mistake not to do it a second time, and that he succeeded after leaving school, is attested to the fact that he has always been steadily employed. For the past thirty years he has been with Funk & Wagnalls, doing all kind of job work in their establishment.

Mr. Miller is now the president of the Deaf-Mutes' Union League, and on January next will begin his second term.

He is a member of the League of Elect Surds, and has served as its Grand Ruler.

He is a leading member of the Hebrew Association of the Deaf.

He is a frat, being a member of the Manhattan Division.

He is a member of the N. A. D., the Fanwood Alumni Association, and lastly, but not leastly, he has been a member of "Big Six" for thirty-five years.

Mrs. Miller by her charming personality has made many friends, and on this anniversary, they packed her abode by their presence and bestowed on her and hubby tokens of real friendship.

### TWENTY-FIFTH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Over across the many bridges that span Manhattan, in Brooklyn, on Saturday evening, October 31st, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Unger celebrated their silver wedding anniversary at their home, by inviting a score of their relatives and friends. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Elkin, Mrs. Rachel Henriques, Mr. and Mrs. C. Durling (nee Miss Lange), Miss Schwartz, Mr. John Lange, Miss M. Hitz, Mr. and Mrs. M. Brostoff, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Levy, Mr. and Mrs. H. Rosenbaum, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Plant, Mr. J. Levy.

The time was spent in playing games.

A beautiful repast was served, which consisted of tongue, chicken salad, olives, mixed pickles, lettuce, potato salad, nuts candy, coffee, cake, tea and soft beverages.

The affair broke up at 12 o'clock P.M.

A surprise birthday party was given on the 1st of November in honor of Miss Edna Hauck, of Cedarhurst, N. Y., by her relatives and friends.

Edna received many beautiful gifts from all. Everybody departed in the best of felling, and the occasion is something which will be remembered for a long time, and everybody wishes Edna many more happy birthdays.

Among those present were: Mrs. Hauck, Edna Hauck, Mr. and Mrs. Z. James, Mr. Gustafson, Mr. and Mrs. P. Liebert, Miss B. Liebert, R. Burns, M. Aulbach, Mr. and Mrs. Downs, C. Berg, I. Ruge, V. Lind, A. Schoenewaldt, Wm. Siebel, F. Hofmann, C. Cires, E. Demmerle, L. Ellis, H. Von Pollnitz, E. Merkel, J. Nesgood, K. Christgau, and Mr. and Mrs. Glassner.

With the date only three weeks off, interest in the athletic meet and dance of Brooklyn Division continues to grow apace.

A large number of entries have been received by the committee from Fanwood, St. Joseph's, and the Lexington Avenue schools, and some interesting

struggles are likely to be witnessed in the track events. There has been a dearth of championship material of late years in the sprinting game, probably due to lack of proper inducements. With the worthwhile prizes offered by Brooklyn Division at stake, the schoolboys will put forth their best efforts, and the spirit of friendly rivalry thus engendered, will prove of lasting benefit to the schools concerned.

The dance program will be in charge of Captain George Lounsberry, son of the late T. I. Lounsberry. George is as much at home directing the intricacies of a dance, as he is at executing the difficult military maneuvers on the armory floor.

Keep the date in mind—Saturday evening, November 28th, 69th Regiment Armory, Lexington Avenue, 25th and 26th streets.

A euchre and pinochle, under the auspices of St. Elizabeth's Guild for the benefit of St. Elizabeth's Home for Deaf Working Girls, will be held at St. Francis Xavier Gymnasium, 41 West 15th Street, New York City, on Saturday, November 21st. Cards start at 8:15. Prizes will be awarded to players and non-players. A door prize will be awarded. Dancing after games. Tickets are seventy-five cents. The Guild, which is composed entirely of deaf men and women, hopes to make this event an outstanding one and solicits donations of prizes from those who feel disposed to help this worthy cause. Donations may be sent to the Home, 236 East 15th Street, New York City. This home is under the same management as St. Joseph's Institute for the Deaf, which consists of schools in Brooklyn and Westchester. It is a favorite gathering place of the deaf, who always find a welcome there for social or friendly chat.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorenz Heuser, of Paterson, N. J., were entertaining Mrs. Brewer, of White Plains, and some Brooklyn friends, Sunday afternoon, November 2d, when they were surprised by the appearance of their mother, Mrs. Bredemeyer, who had just arrived from a visit to Germany. This was Mrs. Bredemeyer's sixth trip to her native land, and she said it was her last, as the old Germany she used to know and love was no more. She was accompanied on the visit by her son, George, and daughter-in-law and little nephew. The presents from Germany that Mrs. Bredemeyer brought for the Heuser family were very fine, showing German skill.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Ellis were entertaining a certain couple from Brooklyn a week ago. Mrs. Ellis was a very pleasant hostess in spite of having the care of her mother, who was very sick in bed. She had been in pretty poor health ever since her dear husband died. At last reports, she had recovered and gone to Port Washington, to visit her other daughter, Mrs. Samuel Cocks, hoping a change would benefit her. Mr. Eli Ellis is the same old boy, and has a lucrative position with a large cutlery concern, and is doing finely.

Mrs. Sarah Koplik, mother of Mrs. Samuel Goldstone, passed away on November 3d, 1925, at the home of one of her daughters, Mrs. S. Beigel, 249 Beach 128th Street, Rockaway Park, L. I. She is survived by her husband, Mr. Philip Koplik, and three daughters, Mrs. S. Beigel, Mrs. S. Goldstone, and Mrs. C. Koplik.

### DIOCESE OF MARYLAND.

Rev. O. J. Whildin, General Missionary, 605 Wilson Avenue, Roland Park, Baltimore, Md.

First Sunday, Holy Communion and Sermon, 3:15 P.M.  
Second Sunday, Evening Prayer and Address, 3:15 P.M.  
Third Sunday, Evening Prayer and Sermon, 3:15 P.M.

Fourth Sunday, Litany, or Ante-Communion and Sermon, 3:15 P.M.  
Fifth Sunday, Ante-Communion and Catechism, 3:15 P.M.  
Bible Class Meetings, every Sunday except the First, 4:30 P.M.  
Guild and other Meetings, every Friday, except during July and August, 8 P.M.  
Frederick—St. Paul's Mission, All Saints' Church, Second Sunday, 11 A.M.  
Hagerstown—St. Thomas' Mission, St. John's Church, Second Sunday, 8 P.M.  
Cumberland—St. Timothy's Mission, Emmanuel Church, Second Monday, 8 P.M.  
Other Places by Appointment.

### PROTESTANT-EPISCOPAL MISSIONS.

Dioceses of Washington, and the States of Virginia and West Virginia. Rev. Henry J. Pulver, General Missionary, Caton Avenue, Alexandria, Va.  
Washington, D. C.—St. John's Parish Hall, 16th and H Streets, N. W. Services every Sunday, 11:15 A.M. Holy Communion, First Sunday of each month.  
Richmond, Va.—St. Andrew's Church, Laurel and Beverley Streets. Service Second Sunday, 8 P.M. Bible Class, other Sundays, 11 A.M.  
Norfolk, Va.—St. Luke's Church, Grady and Bute Streets. Services, Second Sunday, 10:30 A.M.  
Wheeling, W. Va.—St. Elizabeth's Silent Mission, St. Matthew's Church. Services every Sunday, at 3:30 P.M.  
Services by Appointment—Virginia: Lynchburg, Roanoke, Newport News, Staunton, West Virginia: Parkersburg, Huntington, Charleston, Clarksburg, Fairmont and Romney.

## PHILADELPHIA.

News items for this column should be sent to James Reider, 1538 North Dayer Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

Hallowe'en was observed by a social in All Souls' Parish Hall, on Saturday evening, October 31st, 1925. It was given under the direction of Mrs. Nancy Moore, assisted by Mrs. Mabel Wilson, and drew a record crowd. A good many hearing people mingled with the deaf on this occasion. Well nigh a hundred persons were masked and wore fancy, droll or grotesque costumes. Six prizes of money were given and all the little folks in fancy costumes, about twelve in number, received fifty cents apiece as a prize.

Refreshments were sold, and on the whole, an enjoyable evening was had by all who attended.

The proceeds from this social were for the improvement fund of the church.

Quite a few out-of-town deaf attended this event, two coming from Altoona and the others from near-by places.

The following is clipped from the York, Pa., *Daily Gazette*, November 2d, 1925:

Stricken Saturday evening while sitting in a chair, Mrs. Amanda I. Bentzel, 613 West Market street, deaf and dumb, died before medical aid could reach her. She succumbed at 6:30 o'clock, shortly after being stricken. She was aged 76 years and five days.

Dr. R. E. Lau was called to the Bentzel home, but when he arrived Mrs. was dead. He called the coroner, Dr. L. U. Zech, who gave the cause of death as being due to a stroke of apoplexy.

Mrs. Bentzel leaves a son, Emanuel, at home, and one grandson. The funeral was held from the late home Tuesday afternoon, with services at the house at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in Prospect Hill cemetery.

The Rev. Paul S. Atkins, pastor of St. John's Episcopal Church, officiated, with the Rev. Franklin C. Smielan, and four friends of the family, all deaf-mutes, served as pall-bearers.

Mrs. Bentzel was the widow of the late David Bentzel.

We have just learned that Mr. William J. Paynter, husband of Mrs. Emma V. Paynter, (nee Stevenson,) died suddenly on last October 18th. Mr. Paynter was her second husband, her first husband having been the late Amos Pettenigill. Mrs. Paynter was Assistant Matron at the Pennsylvania Institution for the Deaf for a number of years before she married Mr. Pettenigill, who was a teacher of the deaf. By our mention of this fact she will no doubt be recognized by a large member of our older deaf in this State. Although past seventy, she still takes more than a common interest in the deaf and those associated with her in the conduct of the Institution, of whom we believe only one survives besides her, and this one is Mr. John P. Walker, who is past seventy-four, yet hale and hearty as ever. She is kept informed of the deaf by Mr. William C. Shepherd, himself deaf, who had been adopted into her father's family when very young, because he was an orphan. We tender Mrs. Paynter our sympathy in her late bereavement, and sincerely hope that she may pass her remaining days in peace and contentment, among her relatives with whom she is now living.

In accordance with the rules, nominations for the offices of Division No. 30, N. F. S. D., were made at its last meeting on November 6th. Following is the list:  
For President—Harry E. Stevens, Robert T. Young, and Andrew Seay.  
For Vice-President—Joseph M. Mayer, Lewis W. Long, and Israel Steer.  
For Secretary—James F. Brady.  
For Treasurer—William L. Davis.  
For Director—Joseph S. Rodgers, Rubein.  
For Sergeant at Arms—S. Thomas, J. Cail, F. O'Donnell, and H. Sack.  
For Trustee—Joseph S. Rodgers, T. H. Mondeau.

The election of officers from the above list will be held at the December meeting.

The first Friday in January, 1926, happens to be New Year's Day—a holiday; but the Division proposes to meet as usual and curtail its business as much as possible.

John P. Walker, Esq., of Morrisville, Pa., sent through the writer his check for \$25.00 an account of Donation Day at the Home for Aged and Infirm Deaf, and later he will also donate some household goods to the Home.

The effects of the Doylestown Home are expected to be removed to the Torresdale building between November 15th and December 1st next.

In about the middle of last August, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Watson, of Knoxville, Tenn., when enroute to Atlantic City on a pleasure trip, stopped in Philadelphia long enough to call on Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ormrod, whom they knew. They enjoyed the visit and made it known that they expect to come again next year for the Sesqui-centennial.

The annual dinner of the Gallaudet

Club will be held this year on Saturday evening, December 12th. The Chairman of the Dinner Committee is Mr. Harry E. Stevens and his address is Box 81, Merchantville, N. J. Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Lupolt, of Coatesville, Pa., and Mrs. Kate Hoopes of this city, were guests of the writer and his wife on Sunday, November 8th.

The Silent Athletic Club held its annual Ball Masque on Saturday evening, November 7th. Not having attended the event, we are unable to report it ourself.

## SEATTLE.

The Frat entertainment on the 24th of October, drew a crowd of nearly a hundred. Outsiders came from Everett, Tacoma, Bremerton and Snoqualmie, and Carpenter's Hall presented a gay appearance. Bryan Wilson was the efficient chairman in charge, and he worked like a Trojan. Assisting him were Messrs. Kirschbaum, Lorenz, Kelly and Hagadorn. There were a number of card tables at one end of the hall, for those who wanted a quiet game, and there were dances and contests for those of a more lively inclination. The winners in the peanut race were Mrs. Ernest Frederickson and Mr. Ellwood; in blowing balloons, Mrs. Arthur Martin and Mr. Rudy Stuhli; and in a pinning game, which we did not witness, Master J. Bertram. The fishing pond was a success financially, bringing a gross profit of \$15 from an outlay of about \$4. Altogether the affair was a very pleasant social and financial success.

The Bazaar of the 31st, under the auspices of Gallaudet Guild, was attended by 25, which was very good, considering that there were two parties in Seattle. Every article offered for sale was disposed of, and a good profit realized. Oscar Sanders had charge of the fish pond, and Joe Kirschbaum of a word game. Mrs. Victoria Smith served the refreshments, and Miss Alice Wilberg was cashier. It had been intended at first to have a masquerade, but a fire delayed the arrival of several, who gave up their plans of dressing up. So Doris Nation was the only masker, a Japanese gentleman, and to her was awarded the prize, a large jar of hard candies, donated for the purpose by Mrs. Joe Kirschbaum.

Mrs. Rudy Stuhli appeared at the Frat party so reduced in size that some of her friends failed to recognize her. She had been in the hospital for the removal of tonsils and goiter. When she entered, she weighed one hundred and eighty-five pounds, and she is now one hundred and forty. We all thought the change very becoming to her, and trust that she will in future have good health.

The genial J. B. Bixler, of Wenatchee, was in town, a couple of days, on his way to California. Mr. Arthur Martin spent some time at the apple harvest, but is now back at the casket factory in Everett, where his wife works in a cannery. She was at the Frat party with her little son, who now is big enough to run around like a regular young one.

Roy Harris has been spending a few Sundays in Tacoma, helping with some necessary work on the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burgett, to make it more comfortable for the coming winter.

Miss Esther Bloomquist worked for a short time as chambermaid at the Providence Hospital, but found the work so heavy and ungenial that she did not care to stay.

Mr. Bert Haire has been to Everett on business several times lately.

Miss Elma Newton, the niece of L. O. Christenson, is affiliated with the Alpha Upsilon Pi sorority at the University of California at Berkeley. Marion Hanson recently attended a formal tea at the sorority house, and says that Elma looked very charming.

Marion describes a visit she recently made to Tia Juana, Mexico, with a friend, and chaperoned by the aunt of her friend, as follows: "Tia Juana is almost nothing but a row of saloons and gambling houses. There are a few curio stores, etc., and all the other merchandise displayed is liquor."

We arrived there just before dusk, and got a Mexican driver to take us in from the American border. It is quite an official looking border, with immigration and tariff officers there for both countries. Tia Juana is about a mile from the border. We first saw the Mexican part of the town, which consists of a number of squalid huts, a lot of dirty Mexican children, unpaved and unlighted streets, a jail, a school, a barracks a bull-pen, and a few other odds and ends. The military guard, dressed in messy white suits, was just forming.

"But in the busy part of the town all is quite different. There is a street about three blocks long and just a solid line of saloons on both sides. These places are mostly owned and patronized by Americans. We saw this after dark, when all the electric lights were on, and there is something exhilarating about it. Each place has its own dance floor, some of them only a few square feet, and so many good jazz orchestras I never did see. The idea seems to

be for the crowds to drift along from place to place."

"It is a most rowdy place, and we were careful to stick together. They make every one leave by 9 o'clock to get back across the border, for that is about the only way they can control the rowdiness. It is a place that is very interesting to see once, but nothing to attract one back unless it might be the horse-racing in the fall."

The above was written last summer. Last fall, according to press reports, most of the town was destroyed by fire; but is being rebuilt, as business appears to be good; and it is boosted as one of the show places for tourists visiting southern California.

Mr. W. E. Brown has opened a new barber shop at 65th Street and Dibble Avenue. He has started shops in several different locations, but it is difficult to find a good, profitable location, as there are so many barbers attracted by the high prices. Hair cuts that a few years ago cost twenty-five cents are now sixty-five cents, and women's hair bobbing is generally one dollar.

Mr. Hiram N. Gilkinson attended the Gallaudet Guild Bazaar, accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Mitchell. He is much improved after the paralytic stroke he had two years ago, and is able to go about considerably. His sister also has been in the hospital for the removal of goiter, and is now much better.

Miss Alice Hanson left Monday on the S. S. Admiral Schley for California, and expects to be away three or four months.

### THE HANSONS.

Nov. 3, 1925.

### DEAF SMITH

The name of this eccentric man was Erastus Smith. He came to be known as "Deaf Smith" by reason of his being partially deaf.

He was born in New York State, April 19th, 1787, and in 1798 moved with his parents to the territory of Mississippi and settled near Natchez. His parents were pious Baptists, and reared him with the best influences, moral and intellectual, which the wild and sparsely settled condition of the country offered.

In 1817, he wandered away from home, and came to Texas alone, but remained only a short time. Four years later he again came to Texas, making his headquarters in and around San Antonio. He spent most of his time rambling alone in that section of Texas.

When DeWitt's colony was first established, he identified himself with it, and finally married a Mexican lady in San Antonio. He inherited valuable land in Claiborne County, Mississippi, but paid no attention to it, and died a poor man.

Before the Texas Revolution began, by his lonely wanderings, he acquired such a knowledge of the country as few possessed, but at the breaking out of the revolution it was feared by reason of his Mexican marriage that his loyalty to Texas was a matter of uncertainty. This, however, proved a mistake, and he joined the forces of Austin, among the first at Gonzales.

He was detailed on scout duty, for which he was peculiarly fitted, and performed invaluable services, prior to the storming of Bexar, by which time he had become known to all the army. He was in the first fight at Concepcion, in the storming of Bexar, and marched at the head of Johnson's command, as the Texans made their way into the city, and while on top of the Veramendi house was wounded.

Upon the reorganization of the army under Houston in March, 1836, he was put in command of Scouts, and ordered to report the movements of the Mexican army, and aid the fleeing families, and rendered valuable services. His remarkable efficiency and reliability made him a special favorite of Gen. Houston.

When near Hamsburg, on the San Jacinto campaign, he captured a courier with important dispatches to Santa Anna, and from these he learned that Santa Anna was near the mouth of Buffalo Bayou.

On the morning of the 21st of April, he was detailed by Gen. Houston to destroy Vince's bridge, which he promptly did, and on the afternoon of the same day, went into the fight, with a dash and intrepidity that won for him universal praise from the army.

Two or three days after the battle, he was given important orders from Santa Anna to Gen. Ellis to retreat. Later on he was made Captain of the rangers. And after one or two engagements, he retired from the army, and located in Richmond, Fort Bend County, where he died, November 30th, 1837, and was buried there. A modest monument, in the corner of the Episcopal Church yard, marks the spot where he was buried. It has the inscription, "Deaf Smith, the Texas Spy, died November 30, 1817."—History of Texas.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. McMann, will please note that their new address is 372 1/4 Loma Drive, Los Angeles, California. They cannot write cards to all the good friends they left behind in the East. They love California, but of course they miss their New York friends.

### ZENOISMS.

Nowadays it is not classic sign-making unless it averages ten tough signs per minute.

Stand for a 100 per cent N. A. D. president? But what are your ideas of 100 per cent?

Oralism may save civilization, but when our oral graduate joins an exclusive club, we have our doubts.

No woman of about that age seems to be growing old gracefully, when you watch her pretend to be shocked at the growing degeneracy of the sign language.

The nearer you get to the editor, who puts truth jolts at the bottom of his columns, the smaller he seems.

Bobbed hair merely enables you to shake it coquettishly when you talk in signs.

Sweeping the club room for a tip may be servility; to do it for votes is brilliant politics.

The old-time sign maker, who makes queer noises in his throat, is vulgar; the modern oralists, who rasps out queer words, is cultured.

We are aware that time sometimes hangs heavy on our hands. But where does it hang as to those pure oralists?

A lot of those superintendents, who step so lively from one position to another, seem not to be alive.

A man's sign vocabulary may be more varied than a woman's, but a woman's is more ornamental.

Some teachers are so stingy, they are careful about using extravagant sign language.

The present generation of the deaf seems to think that a good deal of cards depends a good deal on ob-scene signs dealt across the table.

Surely some masters of arts profess to know that art is not creative work, but a profession.

### ZENO.

### On Going to School

Recently several million children started to school.

This imposing event in our national history took place without any advertising or blowing of horns. It is the most significant thing that has happened of recent date.

The country is not yet awakened to the importance of the school teacher. We are accustomed to saying that the public school is the most vital thing in our possession and to brag about Americans all having the opportunity to attend. But the question has never yet been taken seriously enough.

There are thousands of people throughout the south who do not go to school at all and thousands in our great cities who attend part time. Our school facilities are inadequate and the whole business has not received enough public attention to secure a better quality of teachers.

It has more influence upon the future than anything that is taking place just now in politics. These children now going to school will be running affairs in business and in statesmanship in the future years. What that business and statesmanship will be, depends upon the knowledge and character possessed by these children.

Education is the principal business of a nation. A minister of education should have his seat in the cabinet and we should recognize the training of the young as our most important business.

We are here but for a little while and the net result of our influence is how we affect the coming generation.

Each generation needs to go to school. There is no greater crime that can be committed against a boy or a girl than to deprive such a one of proper training, for the time is rapidly coming when the untrained man will be crowded off the earth. There is less and less room for a man who has only his hands to work with.

And there is a greater demand every year for schools of some kind.

The public school is the laboratory of the future. Sending a boy to school is much better in the way of national defense than sending him to the army later on. He becomes an intelligent citizen, and the more intelligent citizens a country has the better it is enabled to defend itself.

We need not only more schools but better schools and better teachers. We need to realize that one of the most inviting professions for a man or woman is the profession of teaching. And that there is room in it for all of the ability that anyone may possess.—Dr. Frank Crane.

## OMAHA.

The big attraction in Council Bluffs on Saturday evening, October 31st, was the installation of a new Division, No. 103, at 8:30 P.M. Early in the evening, the sixteen hustling Council Bluffs Frats met together in a little room and elected the following officers to serve till January 1st, 1926: President, Ransom H. Arch; Vice-President, Chas. C. Clark; Secretary, John J. Marty; Treasurer, Robert G. Brown; Director, Francis Jacobsen; Sergeant-at-Arms, Arthur Johnson; Trustees, for three years, Luther H. Taylor; for two years, Raymond Anderson; for one year, Elmer Hanson; and Patriarch, Tom L. Anderson. As it was a public installation, there were some 150 interested people present. James R. Jelinek, Deputy Organizer of Omaha Division, No. 32, was "Master of Ceremonies" and went through without a hitch.

The sixteen charter members having signed the charter, sat in a row facing the flag-draped altar, all visitors and members of Omaha Division being on the sides of the room and behind the charter members. The new officers were sworn in and their duties explained. Mr. Jelinek then presented the newly elected president with a bottle of "Bossie's ale," with instructions that No. 103 must wear when the next new Division No. 104 at Fort Wayne, Ind., is launched. President Arch took a couple of good swallows and then took charge of the rest of the program. Acting for Omaha's treasurer, Oscar M. Treuke spoke in behalf of Omaha Division and presented Council Bluffs Division with a check for \$50, for its treasury to start on the road to success and rapid progress. Then Riley E. Anthony, President of No. 32, presented the new Division with a handsome hand-made gravel. It had sixteen alternating light and dark colored triangles on each side, symbolizing to the sixteen charter members. He said he hoped it would be of service in many meetings and wished the "baby" good luck and rapid growth. Frank Hemmelder, delegate from Dubuque, Ia., Division, No. 96, gave a few remarks and greetings from his Division to No. 103. He also brought a bottle of milk to nurse the new Division, and a rattle to use when older. Ralph Koons, delegate from Des Moines, Ia., Division, No. 77, followed and spoke in brief for the Des Moines Frats. Ralph Carpenter, delegate from Cedar Rapids Division, No. 49, gave a pretty good "oration," wishing the "baby" Division everything there was to wish. John J. Marty, the new secretary was then called upon to read about 20 letters and two telegrams of congratulations and greetings from Divisions and prominent Frats. John Sullivan, of Des Moines, Ia., Lyman Hull, of Tarkio, Mo., Francis Reilly, of Ames, Ia., and Miss Marnette, of Des Moines, Ia., were other out-of-town visitors. Nearly all the Omaha Frats and their wives were present. Dancing and social conversation took up the rest of the evening. Sandwiches and coffee were served.

November 2d was the fifteenth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Harry G. Long. Some twenty-five of their friends remembered the with a surprise party. They were all set for a quiet evening, when all of a sudden the merry crowd burst in. They were too surprised to move, and sat and stared. Dr. J. Schuyler Long gave a characteristic speech on behalf of the crowd, and presented the "victims" with a beautiful mirror for the living-room. Mr. and Mrs. Long made brief speeches, thanking one and all for their generosity. "500" was then played, at which Mrs. Leo R. Holway and Riley E. Anthony carried off prizes for highest scores. The prizes were two delicious little pumpkin pies. Bohemian hot dogs appeared with rye bread, pickles, limburger cheese, the piece de resistance, Bermuda onions and coffee. It resembled a "Greenwich Village" affair, only lacking costumes and theatrical paints. Nondescript articles attached themselves to dresses and coat tails and hunks of cheese were discovered in pockets, till every one backed against the wall in self-defense. The lights went out for a moment same old trick. "Sixty laughs a minutes" would describe the situation. The affair was engineering by Mrs. Ota C. Blankenship, aided and abetted by J. R. Jelinek.

Omaha Division will entertain at a County Fair, Saturday evening, November 28th, at Seymour Hall, 16th and Capitol Avenue. Come one and all, and help make it a success.

On Sunday, November 1st, some thirty friends, by invitation, planned to motor to the home of Frank and Clara Rippe, some sixty miles out of Omaha, to spend the day. A big chicken dinner was to be the feature, but unfortunately, the rain of the previous few days, caused muddy and impassable roads, and the trip had to be abandoned, the Rippes giving up hope and everything. But three cars full journeyed out despite all that, and the "daring" guests were none-the-less disappointed minus the chicken dinner.

### HAL.



## Portland, Oregon

Mrs. M. Bennick, and her daughter and son-in-law, with Mrs. H. P. Nelson as a passenger in the son-in-law's Sedan, drove to Salem, Ore., one day during the Fair. Many thousand people from all over the State attended it, as it was on a Saturday. Mrs. Nelson told her hubby of the new Fords on display, and what they will do for poor people, as the terms are reasonable.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Pickett, brother and sister-in-law of Mrs. Rudy Spieler, returned to New York after a long visit with relatives at Seaside and Portland, and not only claiming a good time, but also a fine climate in Oregon.

Our deep sympathy goes out with Mrs. Eddie Spieler in the death of her beloved mother, whose funeral took place in Salem. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lynch took the Spielers to the funeral in his car.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Magarell, of Tillamook, Ore., were recently visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Spieler, of Portland. They took the Spielers out for a ride during their short stay.

Many of Mr. and Mrs. Fred S. Delaney's friends were real sorry to hear of the serious illness of their daughter, although Mrs. Delaney is expecting her recovery which, we all hope for.

The S. F. L. Club met at the home of Mrs. Chas. Lynch on Wednesday, October 14th. The hostesses were Mrs. Lynch and Mrs. Spieler. Lunch was served, and Mrs. Fisher won a prize for naming the most vegetable puzzles. Next gathering will be at the home of Mrs. A. Kautz, with the aid of Mrs. M. Bennick.

Rev. E. Eickmann and family were in Seattle recently, on account of the illness of the former's mother, but returned in a few days, reporting his mother improving.

About 45 deaf attended the Lutheran service on October 18th. Rev. Eickmann took for his text Psalms 1st, and it was a very interesting sermon. Twenty more deaf are preparing to be confirmed on Sunday, November 1st, making it more than forty members.

Mrs. Alfred Lynch was on the sick list recently, but at time of this writing is about again.

Portland deaf were glad to see the smiling face of Miss Daisy Morrison back in Portland, after a year or so in Pittsburgh, and she is really glad to see the beautiful Rose City once more. Miss Morrison says she likes the East, but, oh! you West, which she said is the best after all. She will return to work at the Meier-Franks department store.

Mrs. Ruth S. Burgess, one of Portland's bright young deaf ladies, is suing for divorce and will resume her maiden name, Ruth Naomi Sellig. Mrs. Burgess has a loving disposition and is liked by all Portlanders who know her.

Triplets were born to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Berry, but sorry to say the babies died. But Mrs. Berry is well and out of any danger from the misfortune.

Mr. L. Peterson, who bought a lot recently, will join the Portland deaf home owners soon, and build himself a home. Very few deaf of the Rose City pay rent. Because you can buy a home here and pay for it like rent.

It is said new deaf arrivals are coming to Portland. The latest are two men from California, named Mr. Roland Sharke and Mr. John Love, and another gentleman from Chicago who has a hearing sister here. His name is Mr. John Wm. LaMotte, and he intend making Portland his future home. On account of his sister's house being too small, he is boarding with the Reichles until his sister gets a room for him. Mr. LaMotte may find Portland more quiet than the big Wind City of Illinois, and we are glad to welcome all who are prosperous in our beautiful Rose City.

Mrs. Claire Reeves, who visited friends in Portland and Vancouver, Washington, returned to her home in Seattle. She was a passenger in the Wrights' Studebaker car. Mrs. Reeves stayed in Portland, while the Wrights drove to Salem, then on to California as far as Los Angeles, and returned by nearly the same route.

Many of Miss Cecile Hunter's friends were surprised to learn of her marriage to a Los Angeles deaf man by the name Mr. Kenneth Willman. She was a recent visitor in Portland. Mr. and Mrs. Willman will make their home in the Southern City.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Litherland are about to move into their new home, which Mr. Litherland is about finish. Mr. Litherland, who is an expert mason or plasterer, did all his own masonry work, saving a lot of labor expense.

Mr. Bud Hastings is again making interior improvements to his home. He has painted his house in fine color outside.

The Lindes, Nelsons, Lynches, Kautz, Thierman, Cookes, and perhaps the Fays, may soon start the 500 cards ball arolling for the winter season, or wait until after holidays, then meet every two weeks. A club may be organized.

H. P. N.

October 24, 1925.

Hair has muscles, but doesn't make people strong headed.

Two young women were injured when a Market Street Railway car struck them as they attempted to board it at Market and Fourth, San Francisco, Sunday evening, October 4th. They were Misses Thelma Barnes and Bernice Moldrup, graduates of this school. The former made her identity known at the Central Emergency hospital. She was unable, in her injured condition, to inform attendants of the name of her companion, who was in Harbor Emergency hospital unconscious, unidentified and possibly fatally injured. They stepped into a safety zone as a street car approached. The car failed to halt at the beginning of the zone and struck both young women. They were unable to hear the warning bell, according to the statement of a man who witnessed the accident. Miss Barnes was struck to the pavement and Miss Moldrup was pinned beneath the wheels of the car. That witness rushed Miss Barnes to the Emergency Hospital, while other motorists extricated Miss Moldrup. Miss Barnes has been removed to Berkeley and while suffering from several bruises, is apparently well on the road to recovery. But Miss Moldrup is still in a very precarious condition, so much that it has not been possible to take X-rays to determine whether there are any fractures.—*Cal. News.*

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